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## DEMOCRATS TURN THINGS TOPSY-TURVEY.

### As Maine Went So Went the Union.

#### Uncle Joe Will Have a Seat, but Won't Swing the Maul.

Elections held throughout the country yesterday, resulted in a political convulsion of far reaching extent similar to the famous tidal wave of 1855 and even more widespread in its effects.

The National House of Representatives has been carried by the Democrats, who will control that branch of Congress by a safe working majority after March 4, next, reversing the present Republican majority of 43.

The United States Senate will have a reduced Republican majority as a result of legislative elections held in many states.

In New York state John A. Dix, Democratic candidate for governor, is elected over Henry L. Stimson, Republican, by a plurality of from 35,000 to 65,000, reversing the Republican plurality of 70,000 in 1908 for Governor Hughes.

In New Jersey, Woodrow Wilson, Democratic, is elected governor over Bryan M. Lewis, Republican, by 10,000 to 20,000, reversing the Republican plurality of 8000 in 1907.

In Massachusetts, Eugene N. Foss, Democratic candidate, defeated Gov. Eben S. Draper, Republican candidate for re-election, by about 25,000 plurality, reversing Gov. Draper's former plurality of 8000.

In Connecticut, Judge Shimon P. Baldwin is elected governor over Charles Goodwin, Republican, by about 2300 plurality, reversing the previous Republican plurality of 16,000.

In Ohio, Governor Judson Harmon, Democratic candidate for re-election, is re-elected by an increased majority, estimated at 60,000.

In New Hampshire, Robert F. Bass, Republican candidate for governor, is elected by about 5000 plurality.

In Pennsylvania the election of John F. Tener, Republican candidate for governor, is claimed, but the later returns indicate a largely reduced plurality.

In Rhode Island, Gov. Fother, Republican candidate is re-elected Governor by 1200, a reduction of about 10,000 to the previous plurality.

In Tennessee the Foster candidate, Ben W. Hoover, is elected by 20,000 plurality.

In Michigan, Charles S. Osborne, Republican, is elected governor by a plurality estimated at 40,000.

In Wisconsin, Francis E. McGovern, Republican, is apparently elected by a reduced majority and the return of Senator La Follette is assumed.

Democratic governors were elected in Alabama and South Carolina.

In Wyoming the election of Carey, Republican candidate for governor, is claimed by 4000.

While the returns indicate that the next House of Representatives will be Democratic many of the Republican leaders who are serving in the present Congress will continue in the next House as members of the minority.

A number of the most prominent Republicans went down to defeat. These included Rep. Mann of Illinois, one of Speakers Cannon's closest lieutenants and father of the railroad bill, passed in the closing days of the last session.

Rep. Tawney of Minnesota, chairman of the House committee on appropriations, had been already defeated for re-nomination by his young successor at the primaries. Sidney Anderson, was elected. Speaker Cannon, Republican floor leader, Serran Payne and Republican "whip" Dwight, both of New York, Walter L. Smith of Iowa and M. E. Olinstead of Pennsylvania, both of whom would have been candidates for Speaker in the event of Republican success, John Daffell of Pennsylvania, member of both ways and means and rules committees, all of these being regular Republicans close to the Speaker, were returned to the next Congress.

Some of the more conspicuous losses to the Republican side are Madden, Mann and Moxley of Chicago, the last named holding the seat formerly filled by United States Senator Lorimer and Herbert Parsons of New York and William S. Bennett, who for a while this year was groomed for the Republican nomination for governor of New York. Hamilton Fish of New York, prominent in the House "Insurrection," was reported to have been defeated.

Caleb Powers of Kentucky, a conspicuous figure in the proceedings following the shooting of Gov. O'Connell, will be one of the interesting figures of the next Congress.

## LOCAL HISTORY.

### Court Houses and Places of Records.

#### Incidental Memorandum—By Leonard B. Chapman. Number 81.

##### IN SEVERAL PARTS—PART EIGHTEEN.

New Gloucester, where a term of the court of Common Pleas was held in 1793 and semi-occasionally from that date till 1805, including a term of the court of the General Sessions of the Peace, is located twenty miles from Portland. It is set down, as I have observed, a half-a-mile town with Portland from 1791 till 1805—a place in history the town hardly fills other than by statement. It has an interesting record but a mere sketch only of its history has been prepared. What induced the courts to hold even a single session there is a mystery, when the business center of the county was at the southerly end thereof, thus obliging patrons of the courts to travel twenty miles unnecessarily.

Great prudence and care was the practice in the use of the public's money compared with what is seen to-day. An order, or the report of an investigating committee, made at the New Gloucester meeting of the Court of Sessions of the Peace at the meeting held in January, 1799, and adopted, is as follows, copied from the original for the Citizen readers:

"The committee appointed by the Court to examine the Prison keeper's accounts—

"Report, as their opinion, that there has been charged too much by four shillings a week for boarding prisoners; that it does not come within the design or the letter of the law to allow charges for boarding such as are of ability to support themselves. Such your committee judge was the case of Capt. Jeremiah Pote for whom the county has been charged \$162.73; Joshua Curtis \$15.33 and Amos Harris Jr. \$13.00.

"Your committee are therefore of the opinion the prison keeper ought to call upon the administrator for Capt. Pote's estate and upon the said Curtis and Harris for these sums respectively.

"Considering the practice of soldiers your committee are of the opinion that the price of ten shillings a week for boarding prisoners is too high. They therefore submit to the court whether it would not be expedient to adopt a price for future support including fuel.

"A regulation of this kind your committee judge would be expedient; and they would further propose that a committee be annually appointed by

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## UNIVERSALIST FAIR IN FULL SWING

### At Rumford. Bids Fair to be a Record Breaker.

The Universalist fair held at McMenamin Hall is in full swing today. The hall as you enter is certainly a bower of loveliness. The decorations of pink poppies and evergreen is most effective. The center booth is given over to the candy sellers and is one of the attractive places. Miss Sasse Virginia has the charge of this booth and is ably assisted by the other members of the Y. P. C. U.

On either side of the hall the other booths are placed. One of the best places to buy your Christmas presents is at the fancy work table, presided over by Mrs. E. S. Kennard as chair-lady. All kinds of fancy goods can be had here at the lowest prices. I fancy I hear some one else say, fancy articles are all right but I always need aprons. If that be your feeling, ladies, you will be able to choose from a very large assortment of these useful articles at the apron booth, in charge of Mrs. Andrews, who serves in this capacity in the absence of Mrs. E. H. Atwood, who was to have had the responsibility. Aprons big and aprons small, aprons fancy and aprons plain. All tastes can certainly be suited here.

Another booth catches the eye of all good housekeepers and that is the household booth, under the direction of Mrs. Dowling. Here you will find quilts, holders, towels and all kinds of articles useful if not ornamental in many ways.

After one has proceeded thus far on the survey of the hall they must be thirsty, so they will at once turn their attention to the tea table, which is most daintily arranged and served by Mrs. McKenzie and Mrs. Oates. Here you can have the most delicious cup of tea brewed for you while you wait and served with dainty crackers. After this refreshment the sightseers anxious to proceed further and the mystery booth attracts the attention and holds the curiosity of all passersby. Here are articles of all sorts of description for the children and for the grownups, things up in mysterious shapes and sizes, successfully carried on by Mrs. E. W. Howe. Don't fail to see this. After visiting the mystery booth and becoming interested in all things that pertain to the mysterious, the next thing is to visit the booth of Madam Zanziville, the real gypsy fortune teller, for so she looks to be. Here you will delve deep into the mystery of the future through the genius of this gypsy queen. Your past is made as plain to her as an open book. All questions of grave importance she can advise you on. Be sure and consult her.

After seeing and buying from all of these booths one is naturally led to consult their watch and will find that it is time to think of food. The first thing is to listen to the food table and here one is to be found all kinds of cooked foods, jellies, preserves and canned goods. Mrs. Ames can tell you just what you need here and will be only too glad to advise you in this matter. If your appetite is good you will certainly wish to stop at the refreshment table and be served with a splendid menu which the ladies having this in charge have prepared. Cream chicken, cold ham, beans, hot rolls, cakes and pies. If your appetite is not good it will surely be made so by the sight of these good things. Hopper was served last night and will be tonight from 5:30 to 7, and everyone may be sure of getting a free supper. Mrs. Israel, son is chairman of this table.

Last night's entertainment was very much enjoyed, consisting of the band and several dances rendered by local singers, so do not fail to come tonight. A new program has been prepared, consisting of local talent.

Mr. H. W. Nick has given an order of a dozen pictures to the ladies which they are to sell to any one caring to have their pictures taken, and Mrs. Taylor, the agent for the most popular camera, has given a pair of tickets to be sold to any lady wishing to have the camera thing in that line. It is hoped and expected that there will be a large attendance tonight and everyone will surely have a good time that attends.

Dwight Dasher Chapman, the third oldest man in Denmark, resided in age only by Samuel Lincoln Chapman, aged 81, and John Hall, aged 83, a few days ago observed his 80th birthday. He is the most active of the trio and lives on a farm, where he busies himself every day about the common duties of farm life.

## DEATH OF REV. G. B. HANNAFORD

### One of Best Known and Most Beloved Pastors of Maine.

The people of Rumford were much grieved to learn of the death of Rev. Geo. B. Hannaford, which occurred on Monday noon, at his home on Main Ave. Mr. Hannaford had been ill for about a week of acute indigestion, but was not considered dangerously so until Sunday. On Saturday, his cousin, Mr. N. E. Springer of Bethel, was sent for and came to spend a few days with him and stayed until the end came.

Mr. Hannaford came to Rumford from Monmouth in 1877 and since that time has made his home in this town and been associated with all the interests of the town. He first preached at Bethel in the Methodist church, which he did for several years. Since then he has preached in many places, but did not take any settled place on account of his poor health. Probably no other minister in the State of Maine has officiated at as many marriages and burials as he has. Mr. Hannaford was well known throughout the State, and will be greatly missed as he had a host of friends in many places.

The funeral was held at the Methodist church on Wednesday noon and was largely attended. Reverends A. T. Craig, H. L. Hanson, Geo. A. Martin of Bangor and Rev. Mr. Parsons of Biddeford, had the services in charge. The floral offerings were beautiful and many. The body was taken to Monmouth for burial on the afternoon train. The deceased was sixty-six years old and leaves one half sister, Mrs. Chase of Lisbon Falls, and several cousins, to mourn his loss.

## CARTER—CAPEN.

A very pretty home wedding was solemnized on Monday evening, Nov. 7th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Capen of Middle Intervale, when their daughter, Miss Fanny, was united in marriage to Mr. Edward Melvin Carter. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. L. Banghart, the double ring ceremony being used. The rooms were very prettily decorated with pine trees and evergreen vines. About thirty guests were present.

The bride was gowned in white point d'esprit with trimmings of mesaline silk and applique. She carried bride's roses and wore a beautiful pin, "Remembrance of Canada," the gift of Mr. Samuel Faulkner of Chicago, who also sent a telegram as follows:

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 7th 1910.

To Miss Fanny Capen, Capen Hill, Bethel, Me.

"As you this day embark upon the sea of matrimony, may you always have smooth, peaceful, harmonious sailing all the way until you are washed into the desired haven when life ends here. Congratulations to all concerned."

There were two bridesmaids, the Misses Frances Carter and Minnie Capen, who were gowned in blue and white and carried bouquets of pink and ferns. Miss Alice Capen was maid of honor, gowned in blue silk and also carried pink. The best man was Mr. Elmer. Little Ethel Capen carried the ring basket.

After the ceremony, congratulations were extended and delicious refreshments of hot quail, ice cream, fruit punch, cakes and fancy confectioneries were served. Later, as the bride went upstairs to don her traveling dress, she threw her bunch of roses to the crowd of young people below, causing considerable merriment to those who scrambled for the roses.

The traveling dress was of navy blue serge with hat and coat of gray. There were many useful and valuable presents of hand painted china, cut glass and silver and linen, a beautiful silver and cut glass fern dish, silver spoons and set of table linen being gifts from the family of Prof. Chapman, and many other presents from friends, too numerous to mention.

The out-of-town guests were as follows: Mrs. Lizzie Jepson of Lynn, Mass., Mrs. Earl Dumas of Bethel, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberts and son of China, Me.

The happy couple took an evening train and a shower of confetti, en route for Lynn and Boston, where they will spend about a week, after which they will return to Middle Intervale and take up their abode at Willow Brook Farm. Many good wishes went with them.

## WANT COLUMN.

Put your Want and Sale notices here and they will be read in 5,000 Oxford County homes—4 lines 1 week, 2c. 3 weeks, 5c.

PINK AND GREEN TOURMA lines—Very fine and for sale very cheap. Inquire of HARRY DUDLEY, Bethel, Me.

FOR SALE—7 H. P. Fairbanks gasoline engine in first class condition. Also 75 light dynamo, 5 h. p. motor and 1-2 h. p. motor. Any or all will be sold at a bargain. Address, E. C. Bowler, Bethel, Maine.

WANTED—Several young ladies to work on advertising. Inquire of Whitten & Dennison, West Bethel, 9-27-10.

SECOND HAND BELKNAP WATER MOTOR at a bargain. Will develop 3 h. p. at 80 pounds pressure. Inquire at Citizen Office Bethel, Me.

175 ACRE FARM, 50 acres in fields, balance in pasture and soft wood. Cuts 50 tons of hay. Good set of farm buildings, consisting of house, all shed and 76 foot barn, all connected. Another new barn that will hold 30 tons of hay. Cellar under each barn. Excellent wells with pump in sink. 100 ft. soft wood lumber with quantities of smaller soft wood. Hard wood, also fruit trees enough for home use. In order to realize quick sale this property is placed at \$2500. Part cash, balance easy terms. Inquire of E. C. BOWLER, Bethel, Me.

FOR SALE. Collie pups, sable and white, males, \$5.00, females, \$4.00, spayed, \$6.00. H. N. Head, West Bethel, Maine. Post Office, Bethel, B. F. D. 2. 10-23-10.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a slightly used bangle. Inquire of C. B. CUSHMAN, Bethel, Me.

PLAISTED SELECTS PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Maine's Gov-Elect Picks Popular Newspaper Man for Position.

Augusta, Me., Nov. 6.—Governor-elect Plaisted has made his first appointment. He has named J. Clement Murphy of Augusta as his private secretary. "Clem" is a newspaper man. He knows hundreds of people throughout Maine, and hundreds of people know Murphy, either personally or through his wide reputation and stories. He has a large circle of friends among Maine politicians, and his work in Augusta during the legislative session has won for him enviable fame and popularity. He has worked with some big men there, but his standard was ever as high as theirs was. It would be impossible to estimate the immense amount of information which "Clem" Murphy has supplied to the newspapers about Augusta. He is a hard conditions worker, a companion whom a man seeks for, and a friend he desires to have.

He was born in Augusta and by helping his father, who was a staunch life-long Democrat and a hard fighter on that side, he came to know political men of both parties. He inherited the same qualities which made his father, "Tom" Murphy, a remarkable man. It might be said without exaggeration that he knows every man worth knowing in the State; and those whom he has not met personally he knows about. "Clem" Murphy is just the man for the office he has been named for, and if Governor-elect Plaisted continues to name men of a similar type, some good men will be managing the affairs of the State of Maine for the next two years.

The Maine Central Railroad has recently received a large steam crane, for use in time of wrecks on the road. This crane is one of the most powerful in the country and will be able to accomplish extra heavy lifts. It is erected upon a large steel set car together with boiler for furnishing the steam for the hoisting gear, and is so arranged that the crane arm may be turned in any angle. It has a capacity of 75 tons on a 16-foot radius and with a radius of 35 feet it has a capacity of 60 tons—equal to the total capacity of the modern freight car. The big crane complete weighs 60 tons.

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Who the man is no one knows. There is nothing about his person that gives any identity whatever. He doesn't carry jack-knife, head pencil or even a piece of tobacco and refuses to talk. He is described to an escaped inmate from some Maine asylum.

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## Warm Clothes

FOR

### Ladies, Misses and Children

Let us show you our line of Coats and Suits, that have warmth, style and wearing qualities. If you want this kind we can give you good values at the right prices. Don't fail to visit this Department.

#### LADIES' SUITS.

SUITS of Venetian cloth in green, navy and black, amittied with good fitting, pleated skirt good value. \$12.50.

SUITS, extra quality Storm Serge in black, navy and brown. Good with gaiters. Good value. \$12.50.

COATS of CHEVIOT SERGE with invisible stripes, extra quality of imported material, amittied with the latest

length lined with extra quality satin, one of the best suits for all occasions, price \$16.50.

SUITS of IMPORTED CHEVIOT Serge, fine quality, in brown, green navy and black, "Hilseer" satin lined, trimmed with silk braid around collar, cuffs and pockets, desirable style skirt with pleating, good value, \$19.50.

#### LADIES' COATS.

BLACK COATS thick and warm, Good throughout, large for collar, price \$12.50.

FUR LINED COATS, you ought not to be without one when you can get them at \$15.00. \$15.00.

CARACUL COATS, thick and warm, Good throughout, \$12.50. \$15.00.

COATS, fancy mixtures and wide wale or leaved, some trimmed, several styles, \$12.50. \$14.75. \$15.75.

MISSIES' COATS in plain and fancy mixtures, fancy buttons, some trimmed, \$12.50. \$15.00. \$15.75.

ONE LOT MISSIES' COATS last season's style for less than half price, now only \$12.50. \$15.00. \$15.75.

#### CHILDREN'S COATS.

COATS, 6 to 12 years, in blue, brown, green and red, trimmed with velvet and fancy braid, \$12.50. \$15.00.

ONE LOT COATS, extra heavy material in blue and gray, very warm, \$12.50. \$15.00.

COATS, 2 to 6 years, Bear Cloth in white, red, blue and tan, \$12.50. \$15.00.

THE NEW PEARY COAT in white thick and warm, only \$14.95.

# Thomas Smiley

Norway,

Maine.

#### LABRADOR MOSQUITOES.

No amount of travel to Labrador can be complete without some mention of the terrible pest of mosquitoes. These were always present in the summer season from the beginning of our trip to the end, and sometimes they made life almost unbearable.

Nothing could be heard but their buzzing. Whenever we attempted to eat they were down our throats and in our eyes and nose, in spite of our head nets and fly caps we were always bothered by them. The natives seemed to mind them almost as much as we did, their remedy being to smear their faces with fat and their eyes with grease.

Our tents were provided with a fine mesh mosquito net, but some would always find their way under or over the net. At some one light we attempted them we were outside to see if it was raining, for the constant tapping of the mosquitoes against the netting sounded so exactly like rain that it was impossible to tell the difference.

On many nights I had to give up the observation of stars for latitude and longitude because a candle could not be kept lit long enough to adjust the artificial horizon. We unfortunately had no chimney, and the mosquitoes swarmed so thickly that without this protection the flame was quickly smothered. There were but few nights cool enough to afford us any relief. We found that it required a temperature within a few degrees of actual freezing to subdue them.—Forest and Stream.

**Has an Iowa Man's Life.**  
The very grave seemed to yawn before Robert Madson, of West Hasting, Iowa, when, after seven weeks in the hospital, four of the best physicians gave him up. Then was shown the marvelous curative power of Electric Bitters. For, after eight months of frightful suffering from liver trouble and yellow jaundice, getting no help from other remedies or doctors, five bottles of this marvelous medicine completely cured him. He positively guaranteed for himself, liver or kidney trouble and every ailment. Only \$1.00 at C. A. Donald's, Portland; J. J. Reynolds' of Canton; H. J. Reynolds' of Biddeford; C. A. Donald's of Biddeford.

## FURS

I wish to call attention to my usual large line of

### Ladies' & Gents' Fur Coats

Also a choice line of

Ladies' and Gents' Fur Caps,  
Ladies' Fur Muffs and Scarfs,  
Ladies' and Gents' Fur Lined  
Gloves and Mitts.

Agent for two of the largest fur houses in the country and should say of my customers desire to secure any extra fine piece of fur goods, I can save them from five to twenty-five dollars.

## YOUNG'S, Bethel, Maine.

## BETHEL AND VICINITY.

Mr. Jesse Merrill is working for Mr. Fred Chapman.

Mr. Chesley was a guest at Mr. Eli Stearns', Sunday.

Mr. Wilfred Foster visited in Portland a part of last week.

Prof. Scott Wight came up from Auburn, Sunday for a few days.

Mr. James Hotelling went on a hunting trip to the Lakes, Saturday.

Messrs. Wm. Kendall and Wm. Bryant captured a fine deer, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Stowell have moved to their new home in Scarborough.

Mr. Charles Valentine has been confined to the house by illness for several days.

Harry Plafsted goes on his mail route once more after a long illness from rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Andrews and Miss Nellie Coburn returned from Lake Umbagog last week.

Mr. Curtis Hutchinson of Mason is spending a few weeks with his cousin, Mr. Harry Duval.

Miss Goldmark and Miss Wilde of New York are spending a few weeks at Gilbert Todd's.

Mrs. Gertrude Newhall has moved into the "Dean" tent, corner of Mechanic and Railroad streets.

Mrs. P. B. Tuell returned from Massachusetts, Tuesday, where she has been visiting relatives.

Mr. Paul Thurston attended the Bates and Bowdoin football game at Brunswick last Saturday.

The Ladies Club will meet at Garland Chapel at two o'clock Thursday afternoon for special work.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Lovejoy, Nov. 1st and will meet with Mrs. O. M. Mason Tuesday, Nov. 15.

Miss Mary Tree has returned from Rochester, N. Y., and Boston, where she has been visiting friends.

Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Gehring went to Boston Friday, returning Saturday. Mr. Upen accompanied them.

Mrs. Wm. Kendall and son, Lewis, went to Portland, Saturday and visited relatives in Yarmouth, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodgrass and two children of Berlin, N. H., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hall, Sunday.

Mrs. Duval, who has been spending a few weeks in Boston, returned last week very much improved in health.

Bring in your Leather Tops and have them sewed on new Ball Brand Hobbles at Randall's.

Misses Ethel Richardson and Beale Andrews went to Brunswick, Saturday to attend the Bates and Bowdoin football game.

Mr. Daniel Spearin returned from a hunting trip last Monday night with a moose, weighing over 500 lbs. and a large buck deer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Woodbury left Bethel Friday morning stopping in Andover and Boston reaching German town, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Japan of Lynn, Mass., and daughter, Mrs. Benson of Bethel, N. Y., came to Bethel last Saturday to attend the Carter-Capen wedding.

The many friends of Miss Salome Twitford, who now resides in Haverhill will hear with regret that she has had the misfortune to break her right wrist.

The regular annual meeting of Bethel Lodge, P. and A. M. will be held Thursday evening of this week. Election of officers will occur and a full attendance is desired.

Miss Myrtle Haskell of Norway was the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Garry, last week. Miss Haskell and her mother came from Norway, Sunday and accompanied her home.

Mr. Geo. H. French, formerly head of the Maine Farmer, but more recently of the Park and Portland Co. of Boston as manager of their advertising and printing has accepted the position of farm manager at Hildesheim, Maine. The principal reason for moving from Massachusetts is the climate has not agreed with him and his family.

Mrs. N. Lowe is working for Mrs. Ryerson.

Mr. Edw. Perkins went to New York, Saturday.

Mrs. Ryerson is recovering from her recent illness.

W. J. Wheeler of South Paris was in Bethel, Tuesday.

Mr. Jerome Sanborn suffered a stroke of paralysis recently.

Mr. Geo. Jerrold returned to New York, last Thursday.

Mr. Ralph Young called on relatives in Norway, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Field of Stoneham, were in Bethel, Monday.

Mr. Allison Lowe returned from Dr. King's hospital, Monday.

Miss Minnie Capen went to Portland, Thursday, returning Friday.

Mrs. Bucknam of West Paris has been visiting Mrs. J. C. Billings.

Miss Elsie Hall attended the football game in Brunswick, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McInnis of Bryans Pond were in Bethel, Monday.

Mr. Dexter Cummings of Albany was in Bethel on business, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hammond are spending the week in Colbrook, N. H.

Remember the Chicken Pie Supper by the Universalist Society, Friday evening.

Mrs. Jacob Thurston and daughter, Miss Ruby Thurston, were in Portland, Saturday.

The Ladies' Home Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. H. C. Andrews Thursday afternoon.

Misses Martha and Jane Gibson were guests of Miss Mary Druggless in Gorham, N. H., Sunday.

Mr. Robert Blaine was among those who attended the Bates-Bowdoin game in Brunswick, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberts of China, have been visiting the latter parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Capen.

Rev. H. H. Hastings was in Brunswick, Saturday and attended the Bates-Bowdoin football game.

Master Geo. H. Cotton of Lewiston spent Saturday and Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. H. S. Jodrey.

Mrs. Watkins of Lewiston was in Bethel last week to attend the funeral of her brother, Mr. Joseph Oliver.

Mr. Guy Davis and Mr. Philip Barker were among those from Bethel who went to Brunswick, Saturday.

The Ladies' Aid will serve a chicken pie supper at Odd Fellows' Block on Wednesday evening at 6:15. Supper 25 cts.

Mr. I. M. Clark and Mrs. A. M. Clark have gone to Rockport, Mass. for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Elbridge.

The Universalist Society will give one of those excellent chicken pie suppers at their church dining hall, Friday evening.

The annual meeting of the Middle Intervale Telephone Co. will be held at the school house in Middle Intervale at 7:30 P. M., Nov. 12, to elect officers and transact any other business that may come properly before the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Arnes of Gorham, N. H., have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Arnes. Mr. Arnes met with a serious accident last summer by the falling in of a gravel pit onto him, but his friends are pleased to learn that he has so far recovered as to be able to walk with ease.

Mr. Joseph Oliver, who has been in poor health for several months, passed away at his home in Middle Intervale, Nov. 2, at the age of seventy-two years. Mr. Oliver was a soldier in the Civil War, and was a member of the Brown Post, G. A. R. He leaves a wife and daughter, Mrs. Powers, and other relatives.

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### "The Old Ship of Zion."

How many of our readers will recall "The Old Ship of Zion" as sung by their grandfathers? Here it is and the reading of it may revive pleasant memories.—Ed.

What ship is this now sailing by?  
O, glory hallelujah.

What ship is this now sailing by?  
O, glory hallelujah.

It is the old ship of Zion, hallelujah,  
It is the old ship of Zion, hallelujah.

Do you think she will be able to carry  
us all through?

Do you think she will be able to carry  
us all through?

O, glory hallelujah.

Yes, she has landed many a thousand,  
hallelujah.

Yes, she has landed many a thousand,  
hallelujah.

She has landed many a thousand and  
she'll land as many more.

She has landed many a thousand and  
she'll land as many more.

She will land as over Jordan, hallelujah,  
She will land as over Jordan, hallelujah.

O, glory hallelujah.

What will the Christian do when the  
lamp of life goes out?

O, glory hallelujah.

What will the Christian do when the  
lamp of life goes out?

O, glory hallelujah.

They'll go skating home to glory,  
hallelujah.

They'll go skating home to glory,  
hallelujah.

I anticipate that day when we all shall  
get home,

O, glory hallelujah.

I anticipate that day when we all shall  
get home,

O, glory hallelujah.

There we will praise the King of glory,  
hallelujah.

There we will praise the King of glory,  
hallelujah.

Is there anybody here that is going my  
way?

O, glory hallelujah.

Is there anybody here that is going my  
way?

O, glory hallelujah.

We will journey on together, hallelujah,  
We will journey on together, hallelujah.

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**NORTH HARTFORD.**  
George Young, who has been work-  
ing for A. M. Oiles of Fayette, for  
the last month, has returned home.  
Mrs. Edna Davesport and Julia  
Thorne, attended the funeral, Thursday,  
of Mrs. Julia Barker of Sumner.  
Warren Wright, wife and little son,  
Ralph and Eva Wright of Livermore,  
were the guests last week of their sis-  
ter, Mrs. Addie Knight.  
Wesley Farnham has purchased the  
farm formerly known as the James Wil-  
lough farm in Hartford and with his  
son Fred and family, arrived there  
Saturday.  
Daniel White, who has rented the  
Barnard place for the summer, has  
moved out of A. F. Carter and moved  
there this week.  
Mrs. Ellen Carter exchanged some  
stock for a yoke of cattle with Russell  
Hapgood, recently.  
Charles Hutchinson was called to  
Litchfield, Saturday, by the death of  
his uncle, Dean Hutchinson.  
Mrs. Walter Gammon arrived home  
from Orrs Island, Thursday, where she  
has visited her sister for the past few  
weeks.

## HEART THRILLING GEMS.

### THE CHILD IN THE GARDEN.

When to the garden of untroubled  
thought  
I came of late, and saw the open  
door,  
And wished again to enter and ex-  
plore  
The sweet, wild ways with stainless  
bloom inwrought,  
And bowers of innocence with beauty  
fraught,  
It seemed some purer voice must  
speak before  
It dared to tread the garden, loved  
of yore,  
That Eden lost unknown, and found  
unsought.

Then just within the gate I saw a  
child—  
A strange child, yet to my heart  
most dear—  
He held his hands to me and softly  
smiled.  
With eyes that knew no shade of sin  
or fear;  
"Come in," he said, "and play awhile  
with me;  
I am the little child you used to be."  
Henry Van Dyke.

**A ROSE JAR.**  
By Hattie Whitney.

What was it, brewed by a subtle yet  
That under its cover hid?  
And what rose from its almost heart  
When I raised the porcelain lid?

A whirr of wings on a mellow morn;  
The gleam of a river blue;  
A winding walk in a field of corn,  
And a meadow drenched with dew;

A day that fell from the summer's vase  
To the bloomy breast of June;  
A dream and a wish that kept apace  
Through the long, light afternoon;

A story old in the gloaming told,  
In the space of a garden square—  
The moon ship setting her sail of gold,  
And the roses' breath in the air.

**PREACHING VS. PRACTICE.**  
By Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

It is easy to sit in the sunshine  
And talk to the man in the shade;  
It is easy to float in a well-trimmed  
boat  
And point out the places to wade.

But once we pass into the shadows  
And marmor and fret and frown,  
And our length from the bank we shoot  
for a plank,  
Or throw up our hands and go down.

It is easy to sit in your carriage  
And counsel the man on foot.  
But get down and walk, and you'll  
change your talk  
As you feel the peg in your foot.

It is easy to tell the toiler  
How best he can carry his pack,  
But no one can rate a burden's weight  
Until it has been on his back.

The up-curved mouth of pleasure  
Can praise a sorrow's worth,  
But give it a sip, and wryer lip  
Was never made on earth.

### OUR RESURRECTION.

Out of the world, the base, the untrue,  
Into the noble, the pure and the new,  
Out of all darkness and sadness and  
sin,  
Spiritual harmonies to win,  
This is our resurrection.

Out of all discord and toil and strife,  
Into a calm and perfect life,  
Out of all hatred and jealous fear,  
Into love's cloudless atmosphere,  
This is our resurrection.

Out of the narrow and cramping circle,  
Into the service of loving deeds,  
Out of a separate, limited plan,  
Into the brotherhood of Man,  
This is our resurrection.

Out of our weakness to conscious  
power,  
Wisdom and strength for every hour,  
Out of our doubt and sore dismay,  
Into the faith for which we pray,  
This is our resurrection.

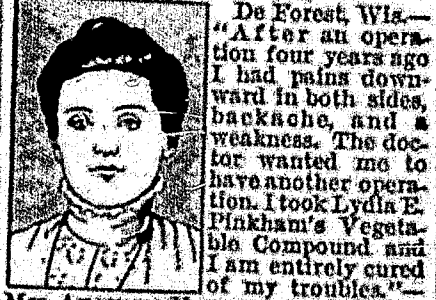
Out of the bondage of sickness and  
pains,  
Out of poverty's galling chain,  
Into the freedom of perfect health,  
Into the blessings of fadeless wealth,  
This is our resurrection.

Out of the fleeting mortal breath,  
Out of the valley and shadow of death  
Into the light of the perfect way,  
Into the freedom of endless day,  
This is our resurrection.

Out of the futile waste of things,  
Into the joy the Infinite brings,  
Out of the limits of time and space,

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free, and always helpful.

Into the boundless life of the race.  
This is our resurrection.  
Author unknown.  
May 1909.

### ALBANY.

The teacher and scholars of the Son-  
go Pond district gave a Halloween  
party at the school house Oct. 29,  
a good crowd and pleasant time was the  
report of those who attended.

Ina Good visited at Mrs. F. O.  
Sloman's Nov. 5th. In the after-  
noon Ina and Roger started out  
after "deer," before they had been  
gone 15 minutes, Roger shot a nice  
fox and a little later, Ina shot a big  
hedgehog. Roger shot his fox with a  
small partridge rifle and Ina had her  
22 rifle. This was their first game and  
here is hoping they will always have  
as good luck.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lord visited at  
No. Waterford, recently.

### MARSHALL DISTRICT.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hogg and three  
children went to Waterford, last Sun-  
day.  
Mr. Amos Barker of Massachusetts  
has been visiting at his brother's Eben  
Barker's a few days.

Little Irene Briggs has a sun flower  
seed raised which is 13 inches across  
the head and was 3 ft. 5 in. tall.  
Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Saunders visited  
at his father's, Ora Saunders, Satur-  
day night and Sunday.

Mrs. Lydia Fernald went to Hunt's  
Corner, Sunday, to hear Mr. Haggis  
preach. It was Mr. Haggis's last Sun-  
day there.

### GROVER HILL.

"Wear a pleasant face wherein shall  
shine a joyful heart,  
As shines the sun, the happy smile  
adoring,  
To every care-besetted life, some ray  
of light impart,  
And touch your lips with gladness  
every morn'g."

Quite a snow storm last Monday  
morning.  
Mr. Clifford Wheeler has returned  
to his home with his daughter, Mrs. A.  
H. Grover, after a pleasant visit with  
his daughter and son at Bethel village.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill F. Stearns, from  
Bethel Hill, were at Maurice Tyler's,  
one morning last week.  
Miss Gwendolyn Stearns closes the  
fall term of school at Lockes Mills this  
week, Friday for a two weeks' vaca-  
tion.

Several are engaged in trapping here  
this fall and are very successful thus  
far.  
Mr. Payson Paddock is doing car-  
penter work for Archie Hatchinson of  
Maine.

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## WEST BETHEL.

The Local Happenings as Told  
by Our Special Reporter.

John Murthugh has finished work on  
the section and gone to work for G. D.  
Morrill.

Mrs. Nellie Seabury of Woodstock  
is visiting her sister, Mrs. Gilbert  
Mills.

L. E. Allen went to Portland last  
Tuesday to see an Oculist.

Claude Dennis is spending a few  
days in this village before going to  
Auburn, Indiana, where his brother,  
Wesley Dennis is now located.

Daniel Wood of Harrison, a man  
seventy years old walked from there to  
Gilead. We think that quite a walk  
for one that age.

Mrs. T. W. Vashaw was at home from  
Grafton a few days last week.

Fred Holt of Bethel is in Grafton  
doing some blacksmithing for T. W.  
Vashaw.

Orange Phelps stopped at W. W.  
Goodridge's on his way from Lockes  
Mills to Jefferson, N. H.

Miss Mabel Scribner has returned  
from a four weeks stay with Rev.  
Gupell's family of Pownall; while  
there she visited the Grange and was  
very much pleased to see so much in-  
terest taken in it, she also attended the  
Grange Fair at that place.

The Grangers gave an Oyster Sup-  
per and a social hop last Saturday  
night, which was very largely attend-  
ed especially the supper. All who par-  
took spoke very highly of the oyster  
stew.

E. J. Bell shot a fine deer one day  
last week.

G. D. Morrill has a fine herd of forty  
six cows, Ayrshire, Holstein and Dur-  
ham. He certainly has some fine stock.  
A number of thoroughbreds.

Ernest Rollins and wife of Auburn  
spent Sunday with W. W. Goodridge  
and family on their way to Montreal.

The people of the village are very  
much pleased to see the mill which is  
being built by G. E. Leighton of Gil-  
eard. It looks as though the town was  
not quite dead after all. We are in  
hopes to see more business another  
year.

E. J. Bell was one day last  
week from the north side of the river,  
where he is camping out.

Walter Dennison of South Paris  
visited his parents, H. P. Dennison and  
wife over Sunday.

A number from here attended the  
Dog show at Bethel last Thursday  
night.

Best Grover was in Lewiston, Satur-  
day.

### LOCKES MILLS.

Mrs. W. W. Conlidge is receiving a  
visit from her father Mr. Noyes.

P. C. Fairbanks and Will Goodwin  
have gone to Ketchikan for a few days,  
hunting.

Mrs. L. Whitman and Mrs. C. R.  
Bartlett attended the grange at Bry-  
ants Pond, Saturday.

Mrs. C. E. Howell is still confined to  
her room.

Curis Abbott has returned from  
Oregon for a few days. He has been  
west nearly four years. He is a civil  
engineer and has many men working  
under him.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Bryant were in  
South Paris and Norway, Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Danette Bryant were in  
town, Sunday.

Lydia Whitman has returned home  
from a week's visit among relatives  
at Greenwood.

Tom Brown was home Sunday from  
Bethel, where he is attending school.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. Brooks of Green-  
wood called on their son, Ernest, Sat-  
urday.

**BRYANT'S POND**  
Mrs. Lydia C. Powers passed away  
Nov. 3, after a long illness. Mrs. Pow-  
ers was born in Woodstock 63 years  
ago, the daughter of Alexander Day. De-  
ceased a husband, James W. Powers, she  
leaves six children. The funeral was  
held Sunday afternoon at the Univer-  
salist church attended by Rev. J. H.  
Little of Bethel.

George Jordan has moved from No.  
Woodstock to the Allen farm above the  
village.  
Mrs. Louisa Cole is staying with the  
family of Amos Cook at South Wood-  
stock.  
George Davis has his new barn nearly  
completed.  
John Golden has gone to Mt. Ararat,  
where he is boarding with Frank  
Kalgate.  
David Ephraime and family of  
Bethel, Vt., arrived Saturday, called  
here by the death of Mrs. Powers.  
Alpheus Fuller has returned from the  
West and is staying with the family  
of James Gammon.  
The Baptist Society have laid an ac-  
queduct, 1500 feet from the Rowe pa-  
rson to their parsonage. They and  
one inch galvanized pipe.

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**EAST SUMNER.**  
Mrs. Ella Lewis, who was seen visit-  
ing her sister, Mrs. Emma Park of  
South Paris, has returned home.  
John Threlow of Hartford has been  
doing mason work in this place. He  
is a most excellent workman.

Last Sunday was observed as Den-  
ton's Memorial Sunday at the Cong-  
regational church, in memory of Den. Josiah T.  
Hewson and Den. Stephen C. Heath.  
Rev. R. C. Eaton spoke very feelingly  
of them, and also of other members of  
the church, who had died since the be-  
ginning of the pandemic.



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Caleb Powers, for several years the victim of treachery and confined in Kentucky's prison, has been vindicated by the people of his state and will sit in the Grand Congress. Worth, like truth, if crushed to earth will rise again, and Caleb Powers is possessed of that stuff that is sure to shine, despite political treachery to the contrary.

## TUESDAY'S ELECTION.

As Maine went, so went the Union for sure. The tidal wave set in motion by the Maine Democrats on Sept. 12, could not be checked by the U. O. P. and as a result the executive chairs of several other Republican states will be granted by Democrats at the expiration of the terms of the present incumbents and the Democratic party will have a good working majority in the next House of Representatives.

For Tuesday's landslide, the Republicans have no one to blame but themselves. There was, and has been for some time, an evident feeling of dissatisfaction among the people, and the leaders of the party, warped and twisted by selfish desires, have striven too far from the public pulse, and could not see the "hand-writing on the wall."

Had the party pledged, as set forth in the Republican platform, two years ago, and promised and represented by those seeking office at the hands of the American people, been faithfully and honestly kept in letter and spirit, Tuesday's overturn would not have been recorded. It was the only way in sight for the people to policy the strong right arm of "Uncle Joe" Cannon, and they chose this way.

## EPIGRAMMATIC AND BILLY.

The college president who has dropped into politics and is trying to be elected Governor of New Jersey keeps right on saying foolish things about the tariff. One of his latest utterances is this:

"Trade does not rise and fall with the tariff, but the bank accounts of some producers do."

Herein we may see how easy it is to be epigrammatic and silly at one and the same time. Fourteen years ago, in the third year of a Free-Trade tariff, trade had fallen far below the normal trade of eighteen months, or within less than a year after the election of McKinley as President and the prompt revision of the tariff in the McKinley law, trade had again back to the normal and was increasing by leaps and bounds. By 1903, bank clearings had nearly doubled, imports had increased 50 per cent, because our people had more to buy with, exports had increased for more than three years, and the country was on the top wave of prosperity. Trade had risen with the tariff trade of eighteen months, or within less than a year after the election of McKinley as President and the prompt revision of the tariff in the McKinley law, trade had again back to the normal and was increasing by leaps and bounds. By 1903, bank clearings had nearly doubled, imports had increased 50 per cent, because our people had more to buy with, exports had increased for more than three years, and the country was on the top wave of prosperity. Trade had risen with the tariff trade of eighteen months, or within less than a year after the election of McKinley as President and the prompt revision of the tariff in the McKinley law, trade had again back to the normal and was increasing by leaps and bounds. By 1903, bank clearings had nearly doubled, imports had increased 50 per cent, because our people had more to buy with, exports had increased for more than three years, and the country was on the top wave of prosperity.

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## As Observed and Told by the Citizen Reporter.

Mrs. J. K. Perkins has been visiting relatives in Portland.

Mrs. G. M. Richardson visited at Livermore Falls, Saturday.

Rev. Briggs has returned from Hartford where she has been with her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Brown, for the past month.

C. H. Hild has been on a hunting trip to Halloway and secured a deer.

Miss Josephine Douglas is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lena Roberts at Dead River.

Miss Josephine Cole and Miss Annie Sawyer were at Rumford, Saturday.

Adelle Martin is at work for Mrs. Fred Wiley of Livermore Falls.

Miss Ella Hunt of Portland has been a guest of Mrs. H. Reynolds and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Howes and children of Livermore Falls visited Mrs. Howes' grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richardson, Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Westgate and Miss Janet Gilbert have returned from a pleasant trip to Boston, Clinton and Newmarket, Mass.

Mrs. C. H. Odham has been visiting Mrs. Will Stearns at Livermore Falls.

Mrs. Lena Harding and Mrs. Ida Mies were at Livermore Falls, Wednesday.

Mrs. Marie V. Cole is at work for Mrs. F. W. Morse.

C. E. Marshall is building a new garage to his residence which will be 20 feet long and 12 feet wide.

Almost fifteen dollars was realized at the Halloween social and supper given by the members of Evergreen Chapter, O. E. S. Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Odham went to Farmington Falls, Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. Odham's sister, Mrs. Sarah O. Bartlett, who passed away Saturday evening after a lingering illness, at the age of about 75 years.

Miss Bartlett was born in Paris, the daughter of Sydney and Josephine Odham, and was one of a large family of children. She married Rev. Howard Bartlett who passed away one year ago. Mr. Bartlett was a former pastor of the Free Baptist church of Canton. She is survived by four sons, Charles and Charles Bartlett of Livermore Falls, Albert Bartlett of Farmington Falls and Dean Bartlett of Bangor, and two daughters, Mrs. Ella Marshall and Mrs. Marie Thompson of Farmington Falls, who had tenderly cared for her during her long illness. She also leaves as sister, Mrs. Lucy Nelson of Livermore Falls and two brothers, Chas. F. Odham of Canton and Augustus R. Odham who is in very feeble health at the home of his sister at Livermore Falls.

The Farmers' Institute will meet at Canton, Nov. 20th.

Oliver Bailey, who has been seriously ill at a hospital in Wisconsin is improving.

Arthur Threlk is preparing to build a cottage on his lot at the Colony, this fall.

The marriage of Hattie P. Harrington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harrington of Canton, to Chas. Reed of Livermore Falls took place in New Hampshire last month.

Miss Kayla Telle has finished work for Mrs. F. H. Morse and returned to her home in East Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Odham of Paris, have been guests of their daughter, Mrs. P. M. Odham and family.

## A STEADY DRAIN.

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Mrs. Mary Douglas has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Willis, Mrs. Lydia Stearns has returned home from Auburn.

Miss Martha Hall was at Livermore Falls, Saturday.

Frederick Farnum has purchased the place in Hartford known as the Oliver Jordan stand.

Mrs. Ernest Knapp and children of Rumford have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Martha Blanchard. Mrs. Knapp also visited at Mechanic Falls last week.

J. K. Perkins has returned from a visit with his son, Neil K. Perkins of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hutchins visited in Auburn last week.

Dwight Kimball has finished work at the Canton Creamery and returned to his home in Pittsfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones of Auburn have been guests of Mrs. Elsie Goddard and daughter.

W. L. York is confined to his bed by illness.

B. H. Woodman of New Gloucester was in town Saturday.

Several candidates will be initiated at the next meeting of Posenah Rebekah Lodge.

Chas. Walker, Jr. is home from Orono where he is attending school.

Mrs. Clarence Thompson has been visiting her daughter, Miss Sara Vining.

Lowell Hild of Sumner has been a guest of his brother, Cyrus Hild and family.

## BIG GAIN IN TUBERCULOSIS DIRECTORY.

Increase of 169 Per Cent Since 1904—Over 3189 Agencies Now at Work.

Active preparations for the publishing of a new Tuberculosis Directory will be begun next week by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis at its New York headquarters.

The directory will contain up-to-date lists of all hospitals, sanatoria, dispensaries, and associations engaged in the war against consumption. A summary of what has been done by various state legislatures, and the country and municipal governing bodies will be included in the book. It will be the most complete report of the anti-tubercular campaign that has ever been published in this country.

The growth of the crusade against tuberculosis is shown to good advantage in the two directories that have been issued and the one in preparation. The first Tuberculosis Directory, published in 1904 by the Tuberculosis Commission of the New York Charity Association, listed 133 sanatoria and hospitals for consumption in the United States, for some of which preliminary conditions only had been made. The combined capacity of these institutions was only 8,000 beds. Thirty-two special dispensaries and thirty-nine anti-tubercular organizations seemed up practically all of the fighting force concentrated in the first directory.

The second directory was prepared by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis and published under the auspices of the Russell Sage Foundation in August, 1908. This directory listed 319 sanatoria and hospitals, an increase of 137 from the former directory; 133 dispensaries, an increase of 128; and 194 associations, an increase of 162. The number of hospital beds listed in 1908 was 12,744.

The new directory that will be issued next, will list over 400 sanatoria and hospitals with a bed capacity of nearly 20,000; more than 200 special tuberculosis dispensaries and fully 400 anti-tubercular associations and centers.

Since the first directory was issued in 1904, the increase in the number of agencies fighting consumption aggregates nearly 600 per cent.

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Name of Depositor.	Last Known Residence, or Withdrawal, to be Deceased.	Date of Last Deposit or Withdrawal.	Am't Standing to Credit.
George U. Flint	Colebrook, N. H.	Sept. 26, 1872	\$24.89
Hattie C. Clark	Bethel, Maine	Sept. 1, 1876	4.04
Henry M. Turner	"	Oct. 31, 1883	1.98
Alice M. Trull	"	Dec. 31, 1881	46.85
Lizzie M. Johnson	"	Apr. 9, 1888	14.56
Richard Estes	Rumford, Maine	Dec. 16, 1887	53.16

I hereby certify that the above statement is true according to my best knowledge and belief.

A. E. HERRICK, Treasurer.

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## RUMFORD.

H. E. Mercier is on the sick list this week.

Harry Ladd is still confined to the house by rheumatism.

Philip B. Pottle was in New York this week on a business trip.

John Hassett returned Sunday from a few days' trip to New York.

Oliver Pettengill left Monday for a short trip to New York and vicinity.

Miss Jane McGivney returned from a business trip to New York Saturday.

On Nov. 16th the Catholic ladies will serve a chicken supper at McMenamin Hall.

E. E. Rendall returned Saturday from a few days' trip in Portland and Lewiston.

Mrs. Lambert Newton is quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thos. French.

Miss Marion Wilcox of Portland is the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. W. Stephens.

Mrs. Geo. Pettengill and Mrs. O. A. Pettengill left Friday for a trip to New York.

Mrs. Nancy Colby of Rumford Center is visiting in town and while here is to inspect the W. R. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sparks were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Dunham at Oquossoc, over Sunday.

Mrs. Jas. B. Stevenson has been confined to the house several days this week on account of illness.

Mrs. F. H. Atwood left Monday for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Harold Goddard of Malden, Mass.

Don't forget to attend the fair at McMenamin Hall, under the auspices of the Universalist Ladies' Aid.

Chas. Bartlett, of Belfast, formerly of this town, is here for a few weeks and is engaged in his business of tuning pianos.

The lecture on Friday night at the Methodist church by Paul Smith was certainly fine and much enjoyed by those present.

Rev. A. T. Craig is in Portland, undergoing an operation on his eyes. For some time Mr. Craig has been having trouble in this line.

B. T. Braun has resigned his position with W. B. Downs and soon will go into the woods this winter as clerk for the Berlin Mills Co.

Jas. McGregor has returned from Arcoblock County, where he has been working all summer and is spending a short time with his family.

G. W. Stenness returned from the G. S. Saturday and reports great success trapping. He got fifteen foxes in thirteen days, also 3 muskrats and one skunk.

Miss Bernice Tribon went to Auburn, Friday to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Bert Oldham, and returned home Sunday, accompanied by Miss Josephine Tribon.

The musical vaudeville at the Opera House the last of the week was certainly the best that has ever been seen at this town. Manager Leader has surely been giving to Rumford a high class show all of the season, and should be appreciated by the public and if large audiences are a proof of the appreciation, they do, from the crowd at the theatre on Saturday night.

Mrs. Susan Langley was in Portland this week, and while there visited the special agent for magazine circulation in the State. Mrs. Langley is going to make a thorough canvass of the town for subscriptions to all of the popular magazines and has many connections which are at the lowest prices. She will call on you in a few days. If any one wishes to subscribe before receiving a call from Mrs. Langley, if they will telephone her at her home, 133-11 she will be glad to call immediately and talk over the matter and show you the best of offers.

## The Shaw Business College

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Portland, Bangor, Augusta.

Mrs. Chas. Israelson returned Saturday from a trip of several weeks, inspecting the W. R. C. through the State.

Madam Hanson left the first of the week for Cambridge, where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Gale.

In the absence of Mr. Craig, Sunday, the Methodist pulpit was supplied by Mr. Smith in the morning and in the evening by Mr. Palmer of Mexico.

Mr. J. E. W. Clark returned the last of the week from Woodville, N. H., where he has been engaged on a large contract for the past three months.

If you wish to give a friend the present of a magazine subscription for a Christmas present, don't forget to see Mrs. Langley, who has all the newest and latest offers to show you.

The dance given at McMenamin's Hall on Thursday night, was a success. About forty couples were present and a good time was enjoyed, these dances are to be continued for a time, every Thursday night.

At the Church of Our Father, worship at 10:30, sermon by the pastor, Rev. Elliott Bates Barber, Sunday School at 12 and Y. P. C. U. meeting at 7:15, subject, Patience and Perseverance. The leader will be Miss Nettie Hawkes.

On Monday night, Mrs. Chas. Burditt was given a surprise party after band rehearsal, the party being to celebrate Mr. Burditt's birthday. The affair was a complete surprise to Mr. Burditt, the first indication he had of anything of the kind was the sound of the band on his piazza. The members of the band were invited in and a very jolly time enjoyed.

The Altogether Club met with Miss Catherine Brown at her room with Mrs. Geo. Gates on Franklin street. The evening was spent in sewing and Miss Brown read aloud some light book, which furnished a good deal of merriment. Refreshments of candy and peanuts were served and a jolly good time enjoyed. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. A. Neal at Ridgewayville.

Messrs. Collins and Woodsum arrived in town from Lewiston, Saturday for the purpose of going into the woods, but during the afternoon they gazed too long upon the red wine cup and were arrested and spent Sunday in the lockup. The two were arraigned before Judge Stearns on Monday morning and were discharged with the payment of the officers' costs in the case.

The Order of N. E. O. P. will have a social next Wednesday evening at the K. of P. Hall. Each lady that attends is to bring a pie, an apron and a necktie. After the regular meeting, which will close at 8:30, a social will be enjoyed. The ties are to be sold to the gentlemen and then this great must hunt until he finds the lady whose apron matches his tie, then they two can eat the pie. This will be public to all, but don't forget your pie, ladies. Wednesday night at 8:30 at the K. of P. Hall. It is hoped that a goodly attendance will be had.

E. B. Davis' "Mum" show on Saturday was certainly worth seeing. The window was most attractively decorated with great bunches of the flowers white, pink and yellow, in tall vases. Around the outside edge of the window was a row of pretty little primroses in pots. Palms and ferns made a charming background for the whole display. Every lady in the forenoon, going into the show, was given a carnation as a souvenir.

Mrs. E. O. Ames delightfully entertained four tables at bridge on Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Moore of Alliston, Mass. The first prize was won by Mrs. F. H. Atwood and was a dainty little silver stand with the colored cards attached to indicate what the trump is in bridge. Mrs. McMenamin was the second prize, which was a bridge scene post. Refreshments of fruit salad, hot rolls and coffee were served during the latter part of the evening. Mrs. Moore has been the guest of Mrs. Ames, several times before and has many friends among the ladies in town, therefore the occasion was a very pleasant one.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fernald and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Towle spent Sunday in Dixfield.

Mrs. Philip B. Pottle and son arrived Monday night to join Mr. Pottle. They will make their home later on Somerset street.

There will be a meeting of the Men's Club of the Universalist church at the church parlor on Tuesday, the 15th. A cordial invitation to all men interested is extended.

The Searchlight Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Banlett on Pine street, Friday afternoon. Mrs. Barber was the leader. The subject of the afternoon was the three essays, Carlyle, Ruskin and Macaulay. Mrs. Kennard had a very excellent paper on Carlyle and his writings. A most interesting sketch was given by Mrs. Cowan on "Principal Events in the Life of Ruskin." Mrs. Latham's paper on "Macaulay and his Essays" was much enjoyed. Mrs. McCarty and Miss Pettengill gave readings from the works of these writers and a very pleasant afternoon was spent and much knowledge gained along these lines.

## PERU.

W. B. Kidder and a party of friends are at his camp at Houghton for a two weeks' hunt.

Lyman Dyer of Sumner was calling on friends, Saturday, when on his way to Carthage.

James Kerr and little daughter, Charlotte and Mrs. McKenney of Rumford were guests at H. R. Robinson's, the first of the week.

D. W. Walker and wife visited Mr. Walker's uncle and family at Canton, recently.

Ervin Gatehell came home from Lebanon, Tuesday. He is having a severe time with ulcerated teeth.

The social dance at the grange hall Saturday evening was well attended.

Saturday, Nov. 5th was the first all day meeting of the grange. The program was in charge of the Past-Master, and was a good one. The next meeting will be in two weeks and will be Ceres meeting, Wednesday, Nov. 9. New Century Pomona will meet with this grange and worthy State Lecturer is expected to be present.

H. R. Skillman moved his family into the room recently vacated by Will Pratt.

Those attending the Dairy meeting, Tuesday were disappointed by the non-appearance of the speakers. The President, Mr. Atkins of Livermore, Sec. Mr. Adams of Canton, Mr. Joseph Palmer of East Sumner Mr. Ed. Hyerson of Hartford, Phoebe and Charlie Walker of Canton were out of town visitors. The next meeting will be at East Sumner.

## BUCKFIELD.

Sixteen members of Good Faith Rebekah lodge visited Electric Lodge of Turner, Wednesday evening. All were cordially received and a beautiful supper was served at seven o'clock. After the regular work a very pleasing entertainment was furnished by the members. It was all enjoyed very much and although a very dark night all felt well paid for taking the ride.

John Moore still remains in a very bad condition and is thought to be slowly failing.

Henry Merrill, who was taking a piano from the house of H. A. Hutchinson, left his horse standing in the yard. He became frightened and ran away, smashing the wagon quite badly.

Lewis Monk, of Whiting Corner, met with a slight accident Wednesday night. While driving home from A. G. Atkinson's, the horse became frightened by a light shining from the window of H. C. Deacon's. Mr. Monk was thrown from the wagon and was quite badly lamed and lamed.

The Buckfield Literary Club met with Mrs. Pottle, Friday instead of Tuesday, as noted on club calendar.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Shaw started for their home at Fort Myers, Florida, Thursday morning after a visit here with relatives and friends for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mitchell spent their weekend with relatives in town. They moved the first of the week to the home of Mrs. Mayhew at Turner, where they will care for this winter.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gerrish is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Spaulding at North Buckfield.

Not Sorry For Blunder.

"If my friends hadn't blundered in thinking I was a doomed victim of consumption, I might not be alive now," writes Dr. T. Sanders, of Harrodsburg, Ky., "but for years they saw every attempt to cure a long coughing cough fail. At last I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. The effect was wonderful. It soon stopped the cough and I am now in better health than I have had for years. This wonderful life saver is an unrivaled remedy for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, whooping cough or weak lungs. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Chas. Fernald, Rumford Falls, N. H. Sold by Dr. J. E. Reynolds at Canton, H. J. Reynolds at Alliston, C. A. Goddard at Dixfield.

## DIXFIELD ITEMS.

## The Happenings of the Week as gathered by the Citizen Reporter.

The Dixfield Light and Improvement Co. has announced that it will install meters on the premises of its customers and discontinue selling current on a flat rate basis after December 31. All night service will also be furnished as soon as the meters have been installed. The company is receiving many applications from new customers, and has employed a man who is an expert at installing electric lights to wire the houses.

Rev. E. W. Webber of Livermore Falls occupied the pulpit at the Universalist church, Sunday morning in exchange with the pastor, Rev. W. E. Gaskin. The subject of his discourse was "The Essentials of Success," from words found in Joshua 1: 6-7. The discourse was interesting, helpful and very impressive. The Sunday School observed All Soul's Sunday by appropriate exercises.

The friends and acquaintances of Claude Griffith, formerly of Dixfield, will be interested to read the following clipping from a Fitchburg, Mass. paper. The opportunity for a magnificent home has been offered to the members of the Park Club. Mrs. Claude Waitland Griffith has offered to deed to the club her palatial home at 311 Main Street, and in her letter to the club she says she feels she is carrying out the wish of her father the late Geo. F. Fay.

This offer includes the great brick house, the brick stable in the rear and all the land save a small strip in the rear. The meeting of the club directors has been called and it is likely that the board will call a special meeting of the club at the earliest moment allowed, which is three days from the time of giving notice. The following is Mrs. Griffith's letter to Milton L. Cushing, president of the club. Mr. Milton L. Cushing, President of Park Club,

Dear Sir:

On October 27, I am leaving Fitchburg to live in New York, and the disposition of the house at 311 Main Street is a question to be considered. Remembering my father's interest in the Park Club and the expressed wish that sometime the club would make a home in the house he found so much pleasure in building, I now desire through you, the president, to ask the club to accept from me a deed of this property, 311 Main Street, house, stable and land, reserving only a piece of land immediately back of the stable for a short time. In making this offer, I feel I am carrying out my father's wishes and personally I should be very happy to know the club of which my father was a charter member was using the old house to what its spirit of hospitality. Mr. Frank O. Hardy spoke to me, last spring of the possibility of the club purchasing or renting this property, feeling that many of the members would deem it wise to move to the larger and more homelike quarters. Therefore I am asking him to lay this gift before you and I await your decision and ask that I may have your answer as soon as it can be properly considered by the club.

Very sincerely yours,

Louise Fay Griffith.

(Mrs. C. M.)

Club members who have been seen in regard to the gift offer, have refrained themselves until such time as the matter shall be brought before the club at a meeting. However, in all cases there has been a very apparent feeling of pleasure and deep appreciation of the generosity of Mrs. Griffith and an expression of the hope that the club members will hasten to accept the beautiful offer.

Tuesday of last week was much enjoyed by the Rebekahs, when twenty of the members met for the annual home cleaning, and with the help of their faithful janitor, Elmer Brown, Turner Opera House was cleaned from Lodge room to basement. At 6 o'clock all partook of a picnic baked bean supper in the banquet room, including husbands and families of the party, after which the men kindly donated their aprons and assisted in the dish washing. The evening was very pleasantly spent in the Lodge room with songs and choruses.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Frost returned last week from their wedding trip of several weeks, spent in Berlin, Portland and Bethel.

Rev. Paul Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Walters were entertained at tea, Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Small.

George Merrill and Abel Holt were in Auburn one day last week, to see Dr. Foxwell, the eye specialist. Mr. Merrill has been suffering severely for some time with inflammation in his eyes. Mr. Holt came over looking the night of one of his eyes, by a piece of the flying kale H. while driving.

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Mrs. Addie Lovejoy has moved to Hildesford, her home on High Street being occupied by Charles Farrington.

The young people's union service was held at the E. D. church, Sunday evening, led by Miss Lizette Russell.

The Bible Study will meet with Mrs. Alice Gates Friday evening, through the month of November.

The boys' class of the Universalist Sunday School met Tuesday evening at the home of the pastor, Rev. W. E. Gaskin, for the purpose of organizing a boy's club.

The W. G. O. I. C. club of young ladies met Saturday evening with Miss Bertha Gould. This club is busy making fancy and useful articles and will hold a sale in the near future.

Mrs. Will Waite is at North Jay visiting her mother, Mrs. E. O. Mead.

Mrs. Leroy Waite of Livermore Falls was a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Waite.

Mr. Blackfield of Auburn, plans to move in town one day last week.

"The Loving Heart Band" met Monday evening at the home of Ruth Gates. This club is under the direction of Miss Lizette Russell, and at present numbers eleven. The next meeting will be with Mary Andrews.

Mr. Orlando Dahl has recently purchased the James Wilder place, and intends to move sometime during the winter, where he intends to make his home. He has offered his farm on the hill for sale. His son, John Dahl, and family are soon to move to Missouri, where they intend to reside with Mrs. Dahl's parents.

Oliver Talbot had a valuable driving horse recently, was sick only a few hours.

Mrs. C. R. Tirrell of Turner is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Gail.

Will Waterhouse, wife and two children, and Mrs. Hinkford Price of Rumford were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fay Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Marsh left here Friday of last week for Orange City, Florida, where they intend to spend the winter.

Edwin Fletcher is working for the Dixfield Light Co. assisting Mr. Chas.

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the wiring expert, who recently came here from Livermore Falls. They are now installing electric lights in the Dixfield Toothpick Co.'s mill.

Mrs. Hannah Helman and sister, Mrs. Charley Waite returned Saturday from a pleasant visit of a few days with Mrs. Helman's daughter, Mrs. Harry Holt at Livermore Falls.

Several of the deer hunters of Dixfield are out of town for a week's vacation, trying their luck at the game.









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### Good Temper.

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Of the general disposition, good temper, if not acquired in infancy, is not easily gotten; and often when we think it is acquired, we find it vanished, and the first blast that strikes us in the must-be storm of life brings the clouded brow or the angry word; better the cloudy brow than the angry word for if we have succeeded in keeping back the word the trial has not been in vain, and if we have failed in both we have lost nothing in the effort. Do not give over to backsliding but endeavor to smile at the next gale that sweeps along, and thus by persistent effort, we find ourselves acquiring that lovely accomplishment which will make ourselves and all around us happy. To these women of quick tempers, weak nerves, and multiplying household duties, I know it is hard to always speak gently and wear smiling countenances, but if you deem your temper and health worth more than your household labors, as you certainly do, lay your work aside and read a few pages from some genial book, or a column from some paper of worth, or a poem of some happy thought. Then if you are a lover of nature go out into the open air and sunshine and read it in the whirling fountain, the soaring birds, or blooming flowers.

It has a soothing influence far beyond the physician's tones; it will be to you like invigorating cordials, and will be sure to ring the charm—good temper, with its sister, peace and contentment—while it everlastingly joy. By effort you will finally conquer your temper, and possess a sweet disposition together with self-knowledge and self-culture, that will lead to uncomputed gain.

### Soil for Pot Plants.

Although it is well known that different varieties of plants need different treatment, too many amateurs give all pot plants the same soil of whatever soil is handiest. When a child, I remember repelling all the plants for winter. After the drainage I put nothing in the jars but garden loam, sifted through a flour sieve to make it fine. Our plants existed that winter and that was about all. Few grown people would make such a mistake, but many do not realize that pot plants require a concentrated soil on account of their roots not being able to go far in search of needed elements, and the best soil is not usually the richest. A good mixture which the novice will be safe in using for nearly all plants is composed of equal parts good loam or garden soil, leaf-mold of weeds-earth to lighten the whole, sand to make porous and barnyard scrapings or well rotted manure to enrich it. Always put about an inch of drainage, charcoal or gravel, in every jar or can; cover with moss, dead grass or shavings from the woods-earth and some of the fertilizer, to prevent the soil washing down and spoiling the drainage and supply food as the plant grows. Ferns and calla lilies do best when one part muck is added to two parts of the above mixture. Care to mix in nearly pure sand, while roses, carnations and geraniums need a heavy soil, more loam and fertilizer in proportion to the leaf-mold.—The Epitaphist.

### A Pen Picture.

She is common and plain, with an old fashioned name, her dress is of queer creation; her house is the same, and though unlabeled in fame, she sometimes has grown illustrious. In sickness or health in poverty or wealth her heart beats the same loving measure; if fortune takes flight, (as it may in a night), you're made welcome to see from her treasure. There's a smile on her face, in her heart there's the grace of a God who is loving and tender; if misfortune ever takes in life's uneven race, there's none but wealth able to defend her. Loving action she plans, and her deeds always stand high above those performed by another, and the touch of her hands is like balm to the heart. God bless the dear, old

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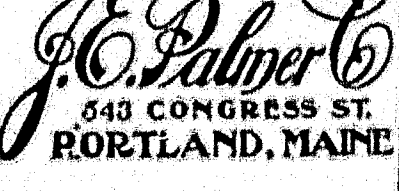
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